

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Marc Glazer, Jacqueline Fidanza,)	Examiner:
Glenn McGall, Curtis Frank, and)	Betty J. Forman
Richard Vinci)	
)	Art Unit: 1634
Serial No.: 10/700,990)	
)	Conf. No.: 4467
Filed: November 4, 2003)	
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Title: POROUS SILICA SUBSTRATES FOR)	
POLYMER SYNTHESIS AND ASSAYS)	

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 22, 2006. Kindly amend the above-referenced application as follows, and consider the following remarks, which are intended to place the above-referenced application in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the claim listing, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.